

HOUSE BILL 3207

By Dean

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 66-28-519, relative to towing of vehicles.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 66-28-519, is amended by deleting in its entirety subsection (b) and by substituting instead the following:

(b) If the owner of the vehicle is not present, then prior to removing the vehicle pursuant to this section, the person firm or entity that actually tows the vehicle shall notify local law enforcement of the vehicle identification number (VIN), registration information, license plate number and description of the vehicle. Local law enforcement shall keep a record of all such information which shall be available for public inspection.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2012, the public welfare requiring it.